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Application No. 82106

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC  
WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

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The applicant McEwen Mining Inc.

1595 Meadow Wood Lane, Suite 3 of Reno  
Street Address or P.O. Box City or Town

Nevada 89502 here by make(s) application for permission to appropriate the  
State and ZIP Code

public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated. (If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association, give names of members.)

1. The source of water is Underground  
Name of the stream, lake, underground, spring or other sources.

2. The amount of water applied for is 500.00 acre-feet annually 1.114 cfs <sup>m</sup>  
One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute.

(a) If stored in a reservoir give the number of acre-feet \_\_\_\_\_

3. The water is to be used for Mining, Milling & Domestic  
Irrigation, power, mining, commercial, domestic or other use. Must be limited to one major use.

4. If use is for:

(a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Stockwater, state number and kind of animals \_\_\_\_\_

(c) Other use (describe fully in No. 12) \_\_\_\_\_

(d) Power:

(1) Horsepower developed \_\_\_\_\_

(2) Point of return of water to stream \_\_\_\_\_

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5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point: (Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to a found section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.)

SW¼ SE¼, Section 26, T.22N., R.50E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the NW Corner of Section 2, T.22N., R.50E., M.D.B.&M., bears S 25° 52' 20.14" W, a distance of 6,353.70'.

6. Place of use: (Describe by legal subdivision. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated)

Please refer to Attachment "A" and the Supporting Map accompanying this Application.

7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31 of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day

8. Description of proposed works. (Under the provisions of NRS 535.010 you may be required to submit plans and specifications of your diversion or storage works.) (State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure, ditches and flumes, drilled well with a pump and motor, etc.)

Drilled and cased well equipped with pump and motor.

9. Estimated cost of works: \$250,000

10. Estimated time required to construct works: 3 years

(If the well is complete, describe works.)

11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use: 5 years

12. Provide a detailed description of the proposed project and its water usage (use attachments if necessary): (Failure to provide a detailed description may cause a delay in processing.)

Water will be pumped to a storage tank that delivers water to the mill process plant, accessory buildings, crusher and other auxiliary systems such as fire and dust suppression.

13. Miscellaneous remarks:

The total combined duty of water under this Application and its accompanying counterpart application shall not exceed 500 acre-feet annually. The plan of operations (POO) boundary is subject to change and approval by the BLM, and shall serve as the limit and extent regarding the ultimate place of use for water under this application.

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APPLICATION MUST BE SIGNED  
BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT

Timothy P. Donahoe

Type or print name clearly

Timothy P. Donahoe

Signature, applicant or agent

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Company Name

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\$300 FILING FEE AND SUPPORTING MAP MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION

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**ATTACHMENT "A"**T.17N., R.47E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Section 1, 5 and 6, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.17N., R.48E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2 and 3 and that portion of Sections 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11 and 12, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.17N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 6 and 7 and that portion of Sections 4, 5, 8, 17, 18 and 20, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.18N., R.46E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 1, 2, 12, 24 and 25, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.18N., R.47E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 27, 28 and 29 and that portion of Sections 7, 18, 19, 25, 26, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.18N., R.48E., M.D.B.&M.

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T.18N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 29, 30, 31 and 32 and that portion of Sections 23, 24, 26, 27, 28 and 33, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

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All of Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 and that portion of Sections 1, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.18N., R.51E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 1 and 6, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.18N., R.52E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 6 and 8 and that portion of Sections 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 20 and 21, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.19N., R.46E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 24, 25 and 36 and that portion of Sections 3, 9, 10, 15, 22, 23, 26 and 35, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

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T.20N., R.46E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 25, 26, 27, 34, 35 and 36, lying within  
the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.20N., R.47E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 24,  
25, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections  
2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 17, 20, 29, 30 and 31, lying within the natural  
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T.20N., R.52E., M.D.B.&M.

All of that portion lying within the natural drainage basin of  
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T.21N., R.47 E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Section 36, lying within the natural drainage basin  
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All of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, and that portion of Sections 6, 7, 17, 18, 19, 30 and 31, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.21N., R. 49 E., M.D.B.&M.

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T.21N., R.50E., M.D.B.&M.

All.

T.21N., R.51E., M.D.B.&M.

All.

T.21N., R.52E., M.D.B.&M.

All of that portion lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.22N., R.48E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 1, 2, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 3, 4, 9, 16, 21, 28, 29, 31 and 32, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.22N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M.

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T.22N., R.50E., M.D.B.&M.

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T.22N., R.51E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and all of Sections 17, 20, 29, 30, 31 and 32, and that portion of Sections 1, 2, 12, 13, and 24, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

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T.23N., R.4BE., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 12, 13, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 1, 2, 11, 14, 23, 27 and 34, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.23N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M.

All of Sections 4, 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 and that portion of Sections 3, 5, 6, 10, 11, 14 and 24, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.23N., R.50E., M.D.B.&M.

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T.23½N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 3, 4, and 5, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

T.24N., R.49E., M.D.B.&M.

That portion of Sections 29 and 32, lying within the natural drainage basin of Kobeh Valley.

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